

Changed Proposed Farewell Address Given For Judicial System At Final Meeting Of Georgia College Senate

Several important changes to the judiciary system of the College Government Association of Georgia College were recently proposed. At the final meeting of winter quarter of the Student Senate on February 24, Senator Carol Payne, the newly elected female co-chairman of Honor Council, proposed several amendments to the Constitution and to the Code of Laws of the College Government Association of Georgia. These amendments, introduced with the intent of improving the current judicial system, which many GC students have found neither satisfactory nor effective in its purposes and procedures, are basically as follows:

(1) The name of the Honor Council will be changed to Student Judiciary. Everywhere in the CGA Constitution and Code of Laws the term "Honor Council" is used, Student Judiciary will be substituted.

(2) The student body will elect one chairman, who will vote only in case of a tie, to head the Student Judiciary rather than two co-chairmen, as has been

the procedure in the past few years.

(3) An Investigator of Student Judiciary to be appointed by the chairman with the approval of the CGA President will be in charge of investigation of all potential cases concerning violations of student conduct delegated to the Student Judiciary as provided for in the CGA Constitution.

(4) The Honor Code as such will be abolished, and the rules and regulations over which the student Judiciary will have jurisdiction will be those listed under "Student Conduct" on pages 20-21 of the current Student Handbook.

Otherwise, with the exception of a few minor changes for clarification, our judicial system will remain as it is.

These proposed amendments were put into the Judicial Committee of the Senate. If this committee recommends their passage, the amendments must be approved by a two-thirds' majority of the Senate by roll call vote at two separate Senate meetings and, then, be presented to the student body for ratification or rejection.

Georgia College Students Volunteer Help At CSH

By Paula Rhodes

There are approximately 25 Georgia College Students actively involved in volunteer work at Central State Hospital this year. Through the efforts of the Agape Community Service Coordinator, these students have gotten several worthwhile programs underway.

A new program was started this year in the adolescent division. G.C. students have worked sorting, counting, and filing books to begin a resource library for the adolescents. The students will then use this library as an aid in their tutoring of the adolescents. A one-to-one contact between tutor and student has been set up. Agape has also provided an opportunity for the adolescent girls to visit our campus. The tutorial program and the visit,

to the campus have provided new learning and socialization experiences for these adolescents in allowing them to mingle with people nearer their own age.

There are also several great programs involving the Children's Division. G.C. students operate the token store (part of the behavior modification program) each week. Through this activity, the college students get to know the children on a more personal basis.

There has been a big-brother-type program set up in this division. This relationship between the students and children allows for reinforcing positive behavior and for providing a close friend for the children.

Speaker: David Pettigrew- President, Student Senate
My fellow Americans, friends, and Juan.

When one reaches his phoenix at any one institution, then he can rattle off with ram-bunctious rhetoric without worrying about repercussions. In a word, he can tell the truth and if people do not like it, then the hell with 'em.

After four years in student government, you don't leave without learning something. I learned a lot and tonight I want to relate some of what I learned to you. But more than that, I want to give you a mandate—that mandate being: Don't make the same mistakes I have made. Don't ride miles down a road only to find it dead ends.

First, student apathy. Student apathy is a fatal contagious disease. It can not be prevented or cured, only contained. There are students who are ready, willing, and able to work. There are others, the vast majority, who are not. Your duty as student leaders is to seek out those who are willing to work and give them something to do. Disregard race, creed, color, and even national origin. It is far better to have someone whom you do not agree with politically than no one.

Fraternalities are new to Georgia College. We have one which is being watched by faculty, administration, and students alike. But you couldn't tell it by their actions. Bland immaturity and lack of results are hurting their cause. Their participation in school activities, such as homecoming, has been minimal. Their participation in the Student Senate has been atrocious. The only time that they have made it to Senate sessions, in mass, has been only to achieve their own selfish goals. There is no visible evidence of any contribution, either academic or social, to Georgia College. In order for Pi Beta Alpha to attain recognition as a campus

organization, then the circus best quit clowning around.

The student center will soon be completed. The governing body if this student center should be composed 100 per cent of students. The functions of this building should be exclusively student. The proposed government gives students little voice and succumbs them to the whims of a few in the administration. You as the governing body of the students should investigate, formulate, and dictate the government of your college union building. Do not stand idly by and tolerate this farce. You have been warned. Get off your posterior and not only head off, but counter attack the proposed ridiculous proposal.

The Senate this year has been a failure. I wish that there was some nice way of saying it—but there is none. Those who campaigned with such gusto, like gusto quickly fizzled away. But like the old saying goes, "There are a few good apples in every rotten barrel." There are a few Senators who have shined and shown extraordinary interest. To you I say, "Do not be discouraged by a few defeats, but continue fighting." And when all else fails, go to Dr. Bunting. He is your best bet for action. Do not burden him with petty grievances, but I have learned that he is ready, willing, and able to help you or any student.

My final mandate and maybe my most important is to the Student Senate. To Juan, I challenge you to conduct orderly, productive meetings. Our constitution gives you the responsibility to hold four meetings per quarter, follow Robert's Rules of Order, and do other duties. You, the Senate, have the responsibility to see that he carries out his responsibility. A majority of the membership must be present to conduct a meeting. His power is not unapproachable. If a quorum is not present, then call for a quorum call and if there is not one present, have the secretary record it in the minutes, then

appeal it to Honor Council. It's a two-way street—you, Juan, and you, the Senate—must keep each other in line.

The good Lord and Mr. Fuller willing, I finish March 10th, and after some of the things I said tonight, I'd better get out. If you're offended, the truth usually does hurt. But before I go, I will give you one last chance to put me on the firing line—any questions?

Air Force Band

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On Wednesday, March 29, 1972 at 8:00 P.M. in the Baldwin High School Auditorium the Georgia College Lyceum Committee presented the Air Force Reserve Command Band and Bagpipe Corps in concert.

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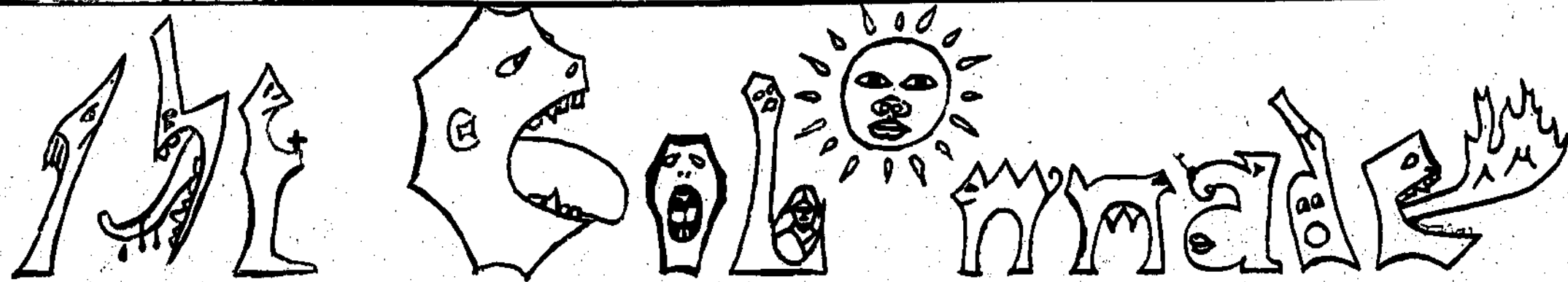
By Robert Riddle

Georgia college has an Ombudsman. Though it sounds like some sort of Australian bushman or sporty foreign car, an Ombudsman in reality is just more or less a friendly ear.

The job of a college ombudsman is to listen to the problems and needs of the student and to act as an instrument in cutting through the piles of red tape that are present on nearly every college campus.

Our ombudsman, located in 205 Parks Hall, is a really nice

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Good Changes Proposed For Judiciary Editorial

By Bill Ferrell

Well, it seems that a good idea has come forth from the Student Senate—in the form of proposed amendments to the C.G.A. Constitution and to the Code of Laws. Senator Carol Payne (the next female Co-Chairman of Honor Council) is getting off to a good start by proposing these needed changes.

I consider a change from the name "Honor Council" to "Student Judiciary" would be an important change in helping the Council in its relationship with the Student Body. "Honor Council" is a name that inspires dread rather than respect in students, and Student Judiciary would, in my opinion make any student feel he is facing a body of humans, not a tribunal of gods. Any aim of government that is not "close" to the people is one that disregards rights and privileges.

The election of one chairman instead of two co-chairmen and the appointment of an Investigator of Student Judiciary by the chairman (with C.G.A. president approval) will help to make our Judiciary more efficient and more fair. What really was the need for two

chairmen? It is my opinion that a separate investigator will do a better job than one of the co-chairmen as an investigator would do. He will not be switching from chairman-to-investigator and will have more experience as investigator, as the chairman will as chairman.

The proposed abolishment of the out dated, simplistic Honor Code is a welcomed breath of fresh air. This hold-over from Womens College of Georgia is really no value—for who signs it? And, really, who could be expected to live by all the "tight binding" laws? No one is perfect. Since you would be punished for committing an offense whether you signed the Honor Code or not, why sign it. The listing of rules and regulations under "Student Conduct" is a more realistic approach.

When this college's Judiciary can be more like our country's judiciary, I feel the students will be better off. To be sure, these changes are not that far reaching, but they are an important start. The college has come a long way since I first came here in 1969, but it can go a lot farther.

Want Your Newspaper Renamed?

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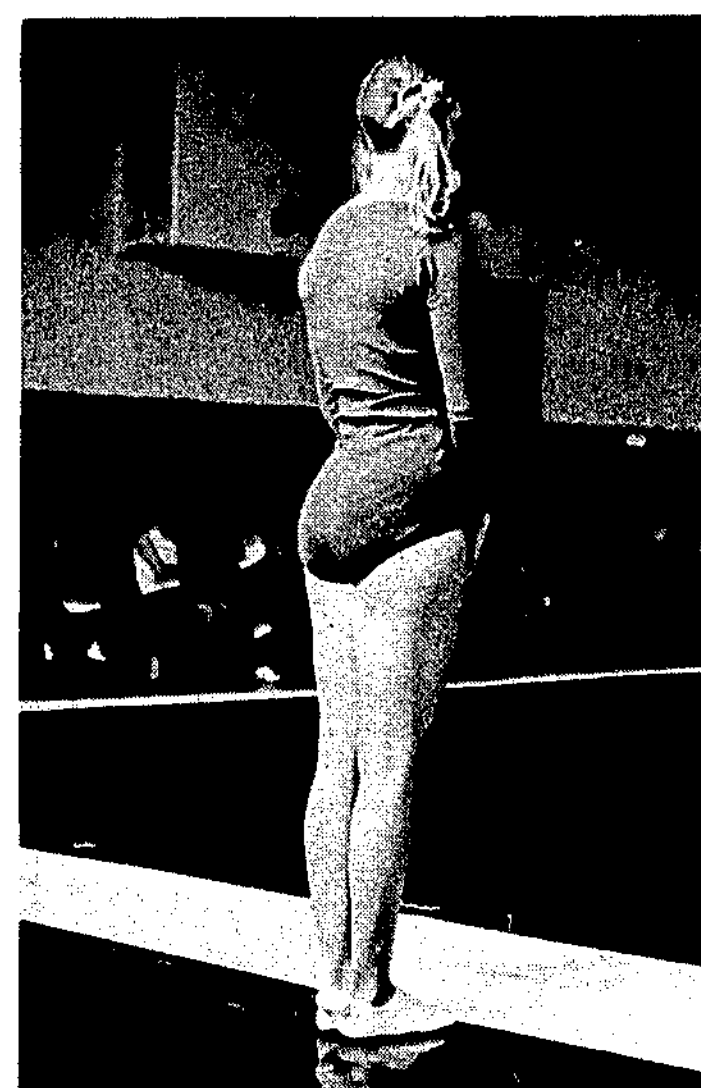


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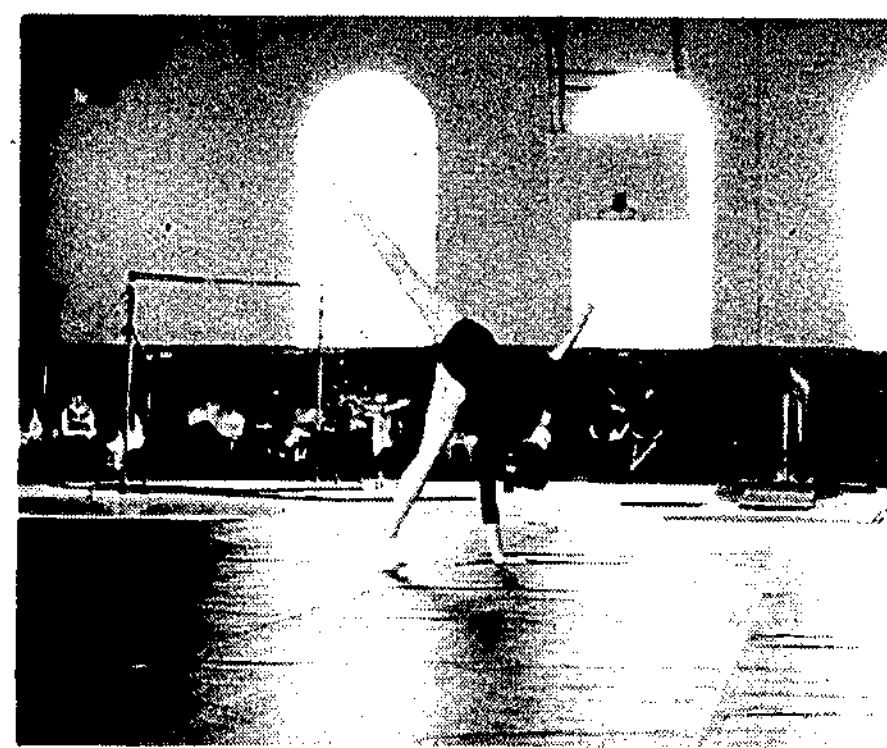
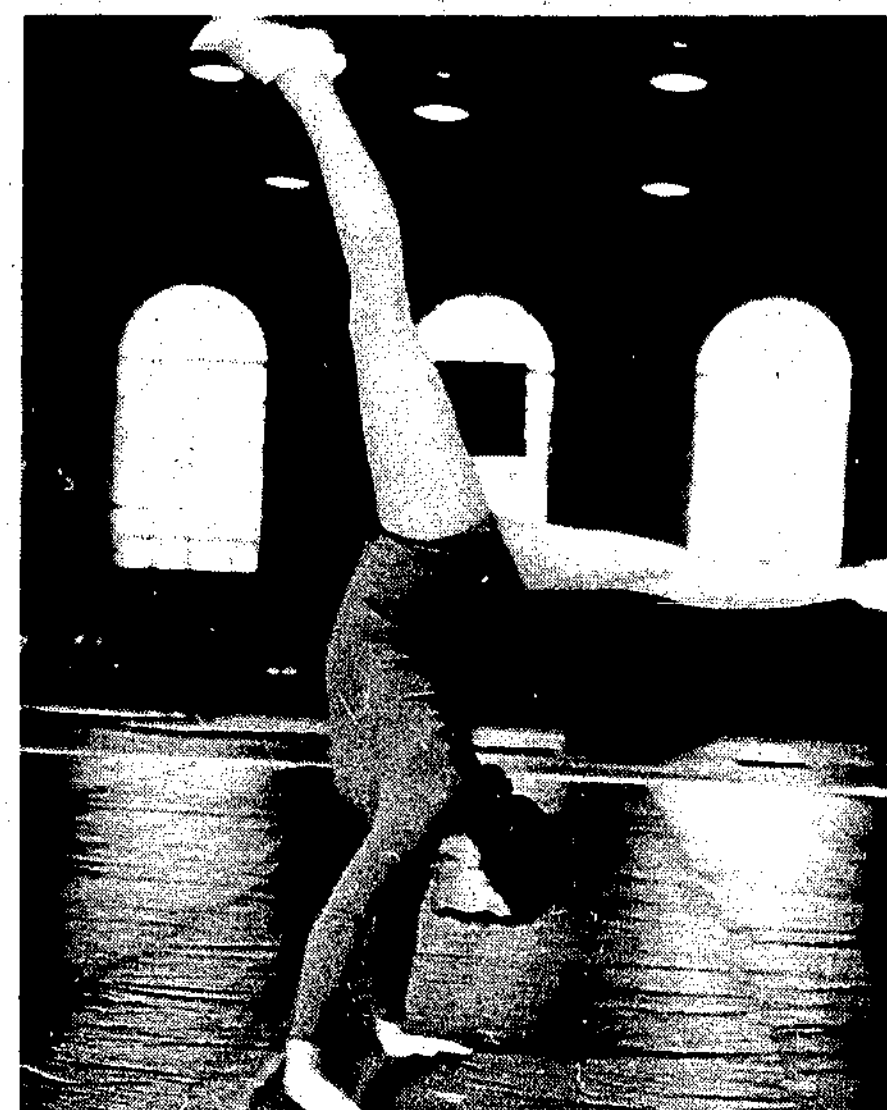
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- 20 West Georgia W. Tennis (Home)

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GC Students

Teach At CSH

Several G.C. student have taken the responsibility of working with a large group of children. Two freshman boys teach an art class twice a week which is great therapy for the children. Several other freshman boys are working with the recreational therapy program to provide active games for these boys.

There is still a need for reliable help at the hospital with the adolescents, a need Georgia College students can fill. If you are interested in giving of your spare time to other people who really need your help, contact Peggy Harris at G.C. Box 1898.

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lady named Mrs. Robert Hoke. She says she's available from eight to five Monday through Friday. No one needs an appointment—just come on in.

With the advent of Mrs. Hoke on campus, the students finally have a voice to the administration. It's up to the students, however, to talk to her and to tell her the problems that exist and things that should be done. We must give her a chance.

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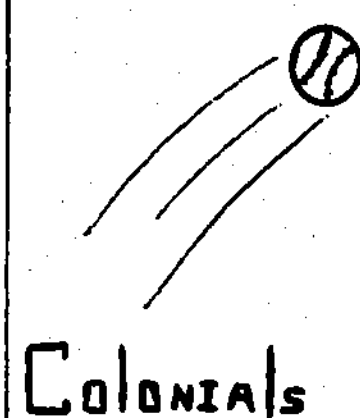
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